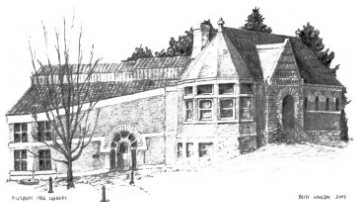


## Pillsbury Free Library, Warner, NH ~ June 20, 2024



**PILLSBURY FREE LIBRARY**  
Warner, New Hampshire

### Hours

Mon. 10 am -12 & 1- 5 pm  
Tues. 9 am - 12 & 1 - 8 pm  
Wed. 1 - 5 pm  
Thurs. 9 -12 & 1 - 6 pm  
Saturday 9 am - 2 pm

*The library is open for walk-in use with no mask. You can also request books by phone 603-456-2289, [online](#), or by placing holds in the website catalog at*

<https://pillsbury.nhais.bywatersolutions.com/>



## Local News from Your Library

Sent to over 1040 contacts! **75%** opened last week! (do you always open YOURS?)  
See past issues or **subscribe** at <https://www.warner.lib.nh.us/library-news>.

**NEXT ISSUES:** Submit current news and events In brief text please, to [Newsletter@library.warnerNH.gov](mailto:Newsletter@library.warnerNH.gov) by Tues. June 25, for June 27 issue.

*We did add SOME new news this week, after all!*

## Town & School News

**Meetings** (scheduled in the Town Hall lower level unless otherwise indicated).  
**-Please check calendar for changes-**  
<https://WarnerNH.gov/calendar>

**Town Agendas** (with Zoom Link) are at  
<https://warner.nh.us/agenda/>

### Selectboard Mtg

Tuesday, June 25, **3:00 pm**

### Precinct Commissioners

Wednesday, June 26, 3:30 – 4:30pm

### Energy Committee

Thursday, June 27, 4:00 – 5:00pm

### Housing Advisory Committee

Thursday, June 27, 7:00 – 8:00pm

### Planning Board Meeting

Monday, July 1, 7:00 – 10:00pm

### Kearsarge Regional School District

[www.facebook.com/KearsargeSAU65](https://www.facebook.com/KearsargeSAU65)

**Now enrolling Fall preschool and K!**

<https://bit.ly/krsdpreschool>

**Kindergarten Registration:** contact

Wendy at Simonds School: **456-2241**.

### 2024-2025 KRSD calendar:

[www.kearsarge.org/district/family-community/pages/calendars](https://www.kearsarge.org/district/family-community/pages/calendars)

<https://www.facebook.com/simondspto>

### Warner Village Water District

**Consumer Confidence Report** for 2024 has been posted

[https://warner.nh.us/downloads/wvwd/Warner\\_CCR\\_2024.pdf](https://warner.nh.us/downloads/wvwd/Warner_CCR_2024.pdf)

### Zoom recordings of Town meetings:

[www.youtube.com/@WarnerNHgov](https://www.youtube.com/@WarnerNHgov).

Need to **Cool Off?** The library has A/C & wifi and you are welcome to hang out!

**Learn how to save a life** by attending a free **overdose response and naloxone training, Wednesday June 26 at 10:30 am at the library.** This 1 hr Community First Responder Program developed by URI is free and covers how to recognize and respond to an opioid breathing emergency, Drug myths & facts, Xylazine, and NH overdose data. Overdoses or fentanyl contamination can occur in many types of households. Be ready!

# Warner People

A Celebration of **Tony Bologna's** life will be held **Sunday June 23, 2024** from 11 am to 2 pm in the Contoocook American Legion Post 81 169 Bound Tree Rd, Contoocook, NH  
<https://www.holtwoodburyfh.com/obituaries/Anthony-Bologna-2/>

## Town Info

**Important: Selectboard meetings** will continue **every other Tuesday** through September for the summer, however, **start times will vary**. If you are unable to attend a meeting and have an issue to bring before the Board, please phone or email. The Board will do its best to accommodate requests as they continue to meet to do the work of the Town. Thank you.

Upcoming meetings: June 25, 2024 – **3:00 pm** and July 9, 2024 – **9:00 am**  
(603) 456-2298 ext 1 or [selectboard@warnernh.gov](mailto:selectboard@warnernh.gov)

The first 2024 **property tax bills** have been mailed out. **Payments are due by Monday, July 8.** If you did not receive a copy of your tax bill, please call the Tax Office at 603-456-2298 x4 or send an email to: [tax@warnernh.gov](mailto:tax@warnernh.gov). If your bill is covered through your mortgage provider, a copy is still mailed to you for your records. Tax payments can be mailed, paid in person or placed in the Town Hall's front porch mail deposit box or dropped off at the Town Clerk office during [open hours](#).

**Affected by recent storms?** Climate Hazard Survey closing soon: Please **describe your extreme weather experiences and concerns in the survey:**

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WarnerNH-HazMit>

## Warner Housing

Over 40 residents joined the **Community Housing Forums** to share their thoughts about housing in Warner. Reports are available on the Housing Advisory Committee page:  
<https://warner.nh.us/departments/hac/>

- [Community Housing Forum Report - April 2024](#)
- [Town Organizations Engagement Report - Spring 2024](#)
- [Business Engagement Survey and Conversations - Spring 2024](#)
- [Warner Housing Survey 2024 – Percentage Results](#)
- [Warner Housing Survey 2024 – All Results with Write-Ins \(94 pages\) Results](#)

Next meeting of **Housing Advisory Committee is Thursday, June 27, 7:00 – 8:00pm**

Are you housing a young adult who would otherwise be unhoused if they were not living with you? Would you like financial and case management support to further stabilize the situation? Waypoint Host Home can help! Please contact Katie Anthony, Coordinator at 603-851-3813, [anthonyk@waypointnh.org](mailto:anthonyk@waypointnh.org).

## 250th Birthday Celebrations

The **Warner Post Office** now has a **250th Warner postmark stamp**. Any mail handed to the clerk will be stamped with it.

**July 4, 2024**, a Thursday, **Pancake Breakfast:** 7:30–11:00 am United Church of Warner, 43 East Main Street. Red, White and Blue bake sale, 250th merchandise featuring the new t-shirt designed by Denise Green, lawn sign, key chain and magnet.

The summer exhibit at the Upton Chandler House Museum *Celebrating Warner's 250th Birthday* is now open Tuesdays from 1 – 4 pm and Saturdays from 10 am until 1 pm through the Fall Foliage Festival weekend. Admission is free and the museum is air conditioned.

## Warner Museums and Groups

**Warner Historical Society Barn Sales:** Saturdays 9am to 12 pm, Tuesdays 1-4 pm. **Warner Historical Society** is looking for some volunteers to **water the Main Street Office flower beds** for a week or two each this summer. [info@warnerhistorical.org](mailto:info@warnerhistorical.org)

Please join the **Warner Historical Society and the Black Heritage Trail of NH** for a community reading of **Frederick Douglass's important speech "What, to the Slave, is Your Fourth of July?"** on **June 29th, noon**, at the Warner Town Hall. Email [info@warnerhistorical.org](mailto:info@warnerhistorical.org) if you would like to read a portion of the speech.

**Bradford Historical Society's Tin Shop** on East Main St., Bradford, is open Saturdays, May 25, 2024 to October 19, 2024, 10am - 12pm and Wednesdays by chance. Other BHS buildings will be open Saturdays and special events with enough volunteers present. Other times by appointment - email [bradfordhistoricalsociety@gmail.com](mailto:bradfordhistoricalsociety@gmail.com)

**Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum** will hold its 23rd Annual **Powwow Saturday, July 13**, and Sunday, July 14, 2024, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM. [www.indianmuseum.org/calendar/](http://www.indianmuseum.org/calendar/)

## Music, etc.

**Summer concerts** in the **MainStreet Warner Stage series** are posted on the **Warner Events Calendar** <https://www.warner.lib.nh.us/warner-events-calendar/>  
Shows are free to the public but donations are greatly appreciated and go directly to funding future events at The MainStreet Warner Stage [www.facebook.com/warnerstage](https://www.facebook.com/warnerstage)

**Sunday, June 23, 4-6pm Tom Pirozzoli Singer-Songwriter, Folk**

**Other Event listings online :** [warner.lib.nh.us/warner-events-calendar](http://warner.lib.nh.us/warner-events-calendar), [nh365.org](http://nh365.org), [visithn.gov](http://visithn.gov), [kearsargecalendar.com](http://kearsargecalendar.com), [nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming](http://nhhumanities.org/programs/upcoming), [centerfortheartsnh.org](http://centerfortheartsnh.org) Arts calendar, [facebook.com/NHMusicCollective/](https://facebook.com/NHMusicCollective/)

## Warner Area Business News

**Warner Public Market** <https://www.facebook.com/warnerpublicmarket>  
Salad bar, baked goodies, breakfast and lunch options, fresh local veggies, and more.  
**Hours:** W - F 10am to 6pm, Sat. 9am to 6pm, Sun. 9am to 3pm. Closed Mon. and Tues.

**Warner Area Farmer's Market** Are you a non-profit? Would you like to spread the word about your organization? Are you looking for volunteers? Here is your opportunity to **set up a table** at the farmer's market at town hall on Saturdays from 9am to 1pm. Fill out the vendor form to participate. [www.warnerfarmersmarket.org/vendor](http://www.warnerfarmersmarket.org/vendor)

**Reed's North Restaurant:** Trivia on Thursdays, 6-8 pm. Music on Sat. 6-9pm (above)  
Now serving **Breakfast now on Saturdays** until 11, as well as **Brunch on Sundays**.  
**Wednesday June 26: Cruise Night.** Show off your classic car

**The Local is open** 11 am - 8 pm Tues-Sat. [facebook.com/TheLocalWarner](https://www.facebook.com/TheLocalWarner)  
6-9 PM [Team Trivia at The Local Every Wednesday](#),

**Kirstyn Page Photography** is taking bookings for Mini sessions at Pumpkin Blossom Farm on July 13th starting at 4:30pm. You'll receive 15-20 edited photos in a digital gallery. [kirstynpagephotography.pixieset.com/booking/mini-sessions-at-pumpkin-blossom-farm](http://kirstynpagephotography.pixieset.com/booking/mini-sessions-at-pumpkin-blossom-farm)

## Warner Seniors

**The Mountain View Senior Center in Bradford** is a happening place! They publish a monthly newsletter (we have copies in the library) with a calendar of events, meals, requests for volunteers, and schedule of weekly events like **chair yoga, dominoes, quilting, and exercise classes**. For more information call (603) 938-2104. The **Slussar Center** in Hopkinton also has many activities.

## At Your Library



**Fostoria Americana Glass** items for sale - make a donation to own sets of goblets, (three sizes), salt and peppers, cups and saucers, candlesticks, covered candy dishes, metal handled glass "basket", cruets, sugar and creamer sets, and more! Come see them at the Library. Perfect for a wedding or shower, or add to your collection! Photos can be found at [Facebook page post](#).

Find the most recent audio and ebooks purchased for Overdrive: [nhdbooks.blogspot.com](http://nhdbooks.blogspot.com)

We have Library passes for free or reduced cost admission to:

**McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center** Summer hours starting 6/17, open every day, 10:30 AM - 4:00 PM. See [starhop.com](http://starhop.com) for SHOW schedules (add \$7 /show/person). Weather and phase II work permitting, the **Science Playground** is open **11am until 3:30pm** on days the Discovery Center is open. Pass also covers [Super Stellar Fridays](#)

**The Currier Museum of Art** in Manchester [currier.org](http://currier.org) is open Wed- Sunday. 1/2 price with a library pass. Tours of two **Frank Lloyd Wright** homes are now open for the season (at extra cost).

**Museum of Fine Arts in Boston:** [www.mfa.org/exhibitions](http://www.mfa.org/exhibitions)

For the promo-code "pass" discount at MFA, for \$10 admission, call 603-456-2289.

**New Hampshire Telephone Museum** and Warner Firefighters Museum.

**Now open** Tues through Saturday, 10 am - 4pm (May - October).

**NH State Parks pass** - **NH State Parks** are open. **Rollins State Park** on Mt. Kearsarge is **OPEN**, 7 days a week, 9 am - 5 pm (last entry at 4 pm). Find a park and book a ticket at [www.nhstateparks.org/](http://www.nhstateparks.org/) (you don't have to reserve a space but on busy days it will ensure you don't have to wait for an opening, and you DO need to reserve the library pass to use it for a discount!)

**Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum** Open Mon. - Sat. 10-4 and Sun. noon to 4 pm. Guided tours daily 10:30 am and 1:30 pm depending on staff availability (Sundays 1:30pm only).

## Teen Talk by Casey

The nominees for the **2025 Flume and Isinglass Teen Read Awards** have been selected! **Read them all**, and vote for a favorite in April 2025.

### Miss Sue's News (for Kids)

**New Children's Items in our catalog:** , [April](#), [May](#), [June](#) and [STEM KITS](#) or [NATURE KIT backpacks](#) filled with durable folding identification guides!

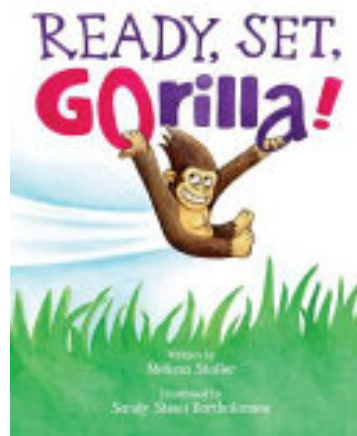


**Preschooler Story times** with Miss Sue are held every **Thursday at 10:30 am** - stories, songs, finger-plays, and a craft. This program is held in the Children's Room.

### Summer Reading Program

**"Adventure Begins at your Library" is this year's theme.** Programs for children who have completed Kindergarten and older meet at the library on Tuesdays at 9:30 am and Wednesdays at 1:30 pm, lasting an hour. **Registration is required.** You can pick and choose which days to attend, or attend all.

[Ready, Set, GOrilla!](#) by local author and illustrator Sandy Bartholomew is the book on the [Warner Rail Trail](#) story walk. It will be up for another 2 weeks. Sandy has given Miss Sue some **temporary tattoos** of the characters in the book, so after you read the story, **stop in the library for some tattoos! FREE FUN!**



## Warner Youth

KCPA has **SUMMER CAMPS FOR KIDS** of all ages including preschool one week each in July and August! Register at [www.NHPerformingArts.org](http://www.NHPerformingArts.org)

Does your kid love horses? 2024 summer day camp at BITS is accepting registrations for slots on four Fridays, 9 am - 1 pm, ages 7-12. Email [AprilR@bitsetc.org](mailto:AprilR@bitsetc.org) to request a registration packet. [www.facebook.com/bitsetc.org](http://www.facebook.com/bitsetc.org)

Kearsarge Schools have [NEW scheduled start and end times](#) for 2024-25.

**Library Trustee meetings** include the **Monthly Board Meeting on the third Tuesday of each month (at 6:30 pm, in person)** Various Committee meetings, some that meet monthly, vary in meeting schedules.

Trustee meetings are published 24-48 hours in advance on the [Warner Events Calendar](#). Approved minutes are published on the [Trustee Meetings page](#).

## Outdoors, Fitness and Environment

**Free bikes** available. Help yourself at 29 Pumpkin Hill Rd Warner, while they last.



**Ed Bender has announced** he has transformed a bittersweet infested field on Kearsarge Mountain Road to a beautiful, peaceful spot for dog owners to enjoy. It is listed as **Watkins Woods** on Sniffspot, an app that lets dog owners reserve private time with their pets at over 20,000 locations across the country. It is great for people with reactive dogs who need a private space. <https://www.sniffspot.com/listings/warner-nh/watkins-woods-private-dog-park-on-mt-kearsarge-33395>

**Celebrate Pollinator Week.** June 17-23 is a time to support pollinator health and raise awareness of the importance of pollinators and how to protect them. In honor of Pollinator Week, NH County Conservation Districts are hosting statewide Pollinator Bioblitz. <https://naturegroupie.org/citizen-science/nh-statewide-pollinator-bioblitz>.

**Outdoor pickleball** at Riverside tennis court now has a **special time for beginners** or less confident players on **Sundays at noon**. All players: **Wednesdays** and **Sundays at 9am, Weds. and Fridays at 5:30 pm** and 2nd and 4th Mondays at 5:30pm. Use the free Team Reach app to see attendance: WarnerNHPB (code WPB21.)

## Rethink, Refuse, Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Repair

**Worried about your taxes? Recycle!** Fees for solid waste disposal in 2023 (not including demolition waste and special disposal items) were \$76,091 (\$85/ton)!

**Tips:** Consider joining the **Kearsarge Area Buy Nothing** group on Facebook, particularly for large, bulky items. It's free, people come to YOU (or a chosen location) so you don't have to haul it into town, and the item doesn't sit in the rain or snow until the right person comes along.

**For clothing:** donation bins at the station, the Family Closet thrift store in Warner for clothes, shoes, kids toys and more. Proceeds go 100% to the food bank. Donations accepted Wednesday and Saturday's 10-4. (or Goodwill!!)

For **housewares, books, small kitchen appliances, plates, cups and cookware**, the **Warner Historical Society** accepts donations right on their porch which is covered

### Stretchy plastic recycling NEWS:

**United Church of Warner** has started collecting the stretchy plastic (along with the school in September) to recycle at TREX. Bring clean plastic bags and film to the Church, where volunteers will weigh and report the amounts. Or you can **deposit your clean plastic film/ bags** in the box **inside Market Basket's** entrance.

Acceptable items **stretch when you pull**. If it tears like paper, or is shiny or makes a crinkly/crunchy sound, do NOT recycle in the bin. <https://nextrex.com/view/educate>

**Ideas for how to reduce plastic:** [www.plasticfreejuly.org/get-involved/what-you-can-do/](http://www.plasticfreejuly.org/get-involved/what-you-can-do/)

## Health and Helping Hands

**Warner Area Food Pantry.** <https://www.warnerconnectsnh.org>.

**Wishlist:** *Boost or Ensure Protein Drinks, Powdered Milk, Raisin Bran Cereal, Chex Cereal, Ramen Noodles*

**Pantry Client Hours:** TUESDAY 4:00-6:00 & THURSDAY 11:00am- 1:00 pm .

**Office Hours:** Tues - Thurs., 10am - 1pm.

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61553264195575>

**The Family Closet Thrift Store** Wednesdays and Saturdays 10am-4pm  
603-456-2183, 49 W. Main Street, Warner. Donations: Limit of 2 tall kitchen bags/visit.

**Welfare Office** Please email [[welfare@warnernh.gov](mailto:welfare@warnernh.gov)], stop in, or call [603-456-2298 Ext 1229] with questions, concerns, or need. **Applications are in the plastic tub labeled 'Welfare'** in the front of the Town Hall - 24 hours a day.

If you cannot afford significant but necessary home repairs, **Habitat for Humanity** may be able to help. [habitatconcordnh.org](https://www.habitatconcordnh.org) In the section named Services We Provide, there is an on-line repair application.

Help your neighbors with **Habitat for Humanity** projects in Warner: <https://www.habitatconcordnh.org/volunteer> for sign up and online waiver form. Daily schedule is **8 am – 4 pm** but any portion you can help is welcomed.

**Projects in Warner** and Hopkinton this summer:

NOTE: The Pleasant Lane project was moved to an earlier date and was completed.

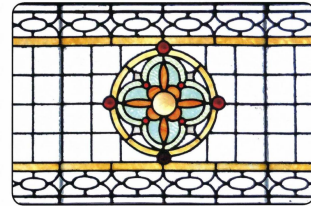
**July 15-19** (Mon-Fri) - home on Brookmeadow Lane.

## Your Donations Keep Library Services Strong!



Buy plants,  
cards or just  
Donate

Contributions to the library may be [donated online](#), mailed to P. O. Box 299, Warner NH 03278 or put in the book drop!



Stained glass theme **"Thank You" cards** (3 for \$5), or other non-specific library stained glass cards (5 for \$10), pictured here. Buy online and/or Call 603-456-2289 to arrange for pickup.



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